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MISS RUTH TOWNSEND, daughter of Representative Townsend, for whom Mrs. John Hays Hammond gave a large tea.

SOCIETY

Miss Townsend's Debut

Mrs. John Hays Hammond was hostess at a large tea yesterday afternoon, given to present Miss Ruth Townsend, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Edward W. Townsend of New Jersey. A beautiful decoration of spring blossoms was in place throughout the house. Mrs. Hammond was assisted in receiving by Mrs. George Huntington Williams of Baltimore, Mrs. Edward W. Townsend, Mrs. Katherine Jennings, Miss Sophy S. Johnston, Miss Lucy Hoke Smith, Miss Sallie Williams, Miss Frances Hoar, Miss Ethel Noyes, Miss Elizabeth Reid Rogers and Miss Mary Hoyle.

Memorial Home Concert.

Mrs. Richard Townsend, Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page, Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, Mrs. Arthur Lee, Mrs. Davenport, Mrs. C. H. Davis, Mrs. Richard Ely, Mrs. Wilder, Mrs. Fremont-Smith, Mrs. William Corcoran Hill, Mrs. Gillespie, Mrs. Gilbert Hitchcock, Mrs. Charles J. Hughes, Mrs. James M. Johnston, Miss Virginia Miller, Mrs. John E. Rayburn, Mrs. Theodore W. Noyes, Mrs. Lurton, Mrs. Herbert Micou, Mrs. Bigelow, Mrs. Reid Rogers, Mrs. Wilmer, Mrs. Codman, Mrs. Bryn, Mrs. Ritter, Mrs. Charles H. Butler, Mrs. Terry Belmont, Mrs. Alexander G. Bell, Mrs. Brownson, Mrs. Hennen Jennings, Mrs. Cleveland Perkins, Mrs. Dickinson, Mrs. Haug, Mrs. Loudon, Mrs. Chatard, Mrs. Henry F. Dimock, Mrs. Stephen O. Richey, Mrs. Randolph McKim, Mrs. Charles B. Lowry, Mrs. John Hays Hammond, Mrs. William J. Bryan, Mrs. Leigh Robinson, Mrs. Josephus Daniels, Mrs. Heathcote Grant, Mrs. Estelle de la Roche, Mrs. Fessenden Meserve, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Garrison, Mrs. Swanson, Mrs. Glover, Mrs. Chase, Mrs. Marshall Field, Mrs. Calderon Carlisle, Mrs. Broughton Wood, Mrs. K. K. Carr, Mrs. Roger Dulac, Mrs. Sandra George, Mrs. Maye, Mrs. Burton Harrison, Mrs. Christian Hemmick, Mrs. Pezet, Mrs. de Pena and Mrs. John A. Johnson are the guests of the benefit concert to be given at the John Hays Hammond residence, Thursday afternoon, May 1, for the benefit of the Confederate Memorial Home.

Personals.

Miss Nell Fletcher and her sister, Mrs. Thomas Junior Kemp, accompanied by their father, Senator Fletcher, left Thursday for New York, where they joined the commission from the Southern Commercial Congress and sailed Saturday with the party of a hundred for several months of foreign travel, going first to Naples and visiting nearly every country in Europe before their return in July. Friday evening the party was given a dinner in New York, a kind of Washington party, and throughout their entire trip numberless entertainments will be given in their honor. Senator and Mrs. Fletcher had hoped to go on the trip, but found it impracticable at the last moment.

Dr. and Mrs. Steiner of Austin, Tex., who have been visiting Dr. Steiner's brother-in-law and sister, the Postmaster General and Mrs. Burleson, at the Powhatan, are now in New York, but will again be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Burleson on their way to their home in Texas.

Mrs. Matthew T. Scott expects to go soon to her home in Illinois, where she will spend six weeks before sailing for a summer in Europe.

Miss Cornelia Thornton of Alexandria, La., has arrived from her home and joined her father, Senator Thornton, in his visit of several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. John Knox and Miss Carrie Knox of Anniston, Ala., have arrived in town and joined their friends, Representative and Mrs. Blackmon, at the Congress Hall Hotel for a visit of some length.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Shuster will have as their guests for a fortnight Mrs. Shuster's sister, Mrs. John W. Stine, who will arrive this week.

Mrs. Nathan Bryan, who has been spending a month at her home in Jacksonville, Fla., has arrived in Washington and joined her husband, Senator Bryan, at the Cochran for the spring season.

Mrs. Lee Overman and Miss Kathryn Overman, wife and daughter of Senator Overman, left Thursday for their home in Salisbury, N. C., where they will remain

for the summer. Mrs. Edwin C. Gregory, who came from Salisbury to attend the D. A. R. congress, has remained in town for a longer visit to her father, Senator Overman.

Mrs. Drury C. Ludlow has as her house guest at the Concord Mrs. Charles S. Shawhan of Mobile, Ala.

Mrs. M. J. Durham of Lexington, Ky., the widow of the former controller of the Treasury, has arrived in town to be the house guest for some time of her sister, Mrs. Compton.

Mrs. H. M. Jacoway, Jr., wife of Representative Jacobway of Arkansas, has gone to New York city, where she is visiting her father and sister, former Representative Cooper of Texas, and Miss Willie Cooper, who are now making their home in Gotham.

Mrs. W. A. Gayle and daughter, Miss Phyllis Gayle, of Montgomery, Ala., have come to Washington for a visit to Mrs. Gayle's son, Mr. Armistead Gayle.

Miss Elizabeth Ratliff of 14th street has as her house guest her sister, Mrs. William Rice of Fredonia, Ky.

Mrs. James Campbell of Covington, Ky., who has been for several weeks the house guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morris, and other relatives, will leave this week for a visit to friends in Milwaukee, Wis.

After a visit to Dr. and Mrs. Philander Claxton on Connecticut avenue, Mrs. Willard C. Bolleu of Chattanooga, Tenn., is expected to leave for New York, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dorsey, for several months.

Miss Julia Mouchette of La Plata, Md., is the house guest of Mrs. Calvert Rose at their home on 10th street.

Miss Lella Peachy has as her guest at the Decatur Miss Boyle of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Pelton and her daughter, Miss Edith Chester Pelton, of New York city, after a visit of several weeks to relatives in Virginia, are now the house guests of friends at 2038 F street. Early in May Mrs. and Miss Pelton expect to return to New York.

Mrs. Willard C. Bolleu of Chattanooga and her mother, Mrs. Bolleu, are visiting friends in Washington on route to the home of Mrs. Bolleu, senior, in Bath, Me.

The Washington Suburban Club has arranged to have its formal opening Sunday, May 1. The club is located on the 7th street road, formerly the Columbia Golf Club house.

Mrs. David Rosner and sister, Miss Lillian Harris, of New York arrived in town yesterday and are guests at the Willard.

Mrs. Julia Luchs, who has been spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Sylvan Bensinger, has gone to Philadelphia to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levy.

The Friday Afternoon Club was entertained this week by Mrs. Calvert Rose at her home on Wyoming avenue.

Miss Natalie Mayer has returned to the city from New York, where she was visiting her cousins, the Misses Jeanette and Edith Mayer.

Miss Jennie Rice of Chicago is spending some time in town with relatives.

Mrs. N. Peyer, accompanied by Mrs. Julius Peyer and son, left the city Newport News, Va., Friday, to be guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Garner and family. Mrs. Julius Peyer expects to return to town Tuesday.

Mrs. Harold Leide of the Ashley entertained at bridge Friday. Two tables were devoted to the game, and a luncheon was served during the afternoon.

Mrs. Lewis Newmyer was tendered a surprise card party and supper last week by a number of his friends in honor of his birthday anniversary.

Mr. Joseph Kaufman of New York, son of Mr. A. Kaufman, formerly of this city, was married during the week in New York to Miss Angela Buckley of that city. Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman sailed on the Rotterdam Thursday to spend their honeymoon on a tour.

Mrs. Morton Luchs entertained at bridge last week the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club at her home on Connecticut avenue. Among the guests were Mrs. David Frank, Mrs. Sidney C. Kaufman, Mrs. Edgar C. Kaufman and Mrs. Meyer Felheimer. During the afternoon tea was served.

Miss Wolf has returned to her home in Augusta, Ga., after a visit with Mrs. David Frank of the St. Alfred.

The Friday Afternoon Sewing Circle gave a luncheon at the New Willard, followed by a theater party, Friday, as a farewell meeting of the season.

Ensign Roger W. Paine, U. S. N., arrived in Washington yesterday to spend several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Paine, at their home in Piney Branch Park.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rusing and little son of Lawrenceville, Toga county, Pa., and Mrs. J. Lee Judson of Rochester, N. Y., spent the last two weeks in this city, on their way north after spending the winter at the Chamberlin Hotel, Hampton Roads, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shaffer of New York joined the latter's mother, Mrs. J. Lee Judson, in this city early in the week and accompanied her to her home in Rochester, N. Y.

Capt. Charles F. Bartly and his sister, Mrs. R. F. Roberts of 1515 Newton street northwest, will leave for New York Tuesday and will sail for Europe Thursday. They will spend their time motoring through France and Italy. They will return home early in September.

The spacious halls of the John Dixon home, Piney Branch Park, were the scene of an entertainment given by the Mothers' and Teachers' Association of the John R. West School. The speaker for the evening was Judge Job Barnard of the District Supreme Court, who gave a reading on James Whitcomb Riley. A musical program was given by Miss Grace Palmer Alden and Miss Margaret Raymond Paine sang several selections.

Added to the many people who are planning to spend the late spring and early summer abroad, Mrs. Edwin Carleton Swift, Mrs. Swift, passed the winter very quietly here with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Moore and her grandchildren. Mrs. Moore is planning to spend much of the summer at the family country home, "Swiss Cottage," in the Crossing, where she will be joined by her eldest daughter, Mrs. Frances Moore, who is at school in Europe.

Mrs. W. A. Jones, wife of Representative W. A. Jones, will sail from New York April 20 for Cherbourg, France, for her health. She will be accompanied by her daughter, Miss Annie Seymour Jones.

Mrs. Samuel Salomon of 148 Adams street leaves tomorrow for a two-week visit in New York with relatives.

The ladies of the Parish Aid Society, Church of the Ascension, will give a bazaar and tea Thursday, May 1, afternoon and evening, in the parish hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Orton E. Darnall leave Wednesday for West Virginia relatives and will then go to southern California.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Darnall are entertaining for them quite extensively, and have been ever since the announcement of their leaving Washington became public.

Mrs. Benjamin Guy and daughter, Miss Grace, leave Washington this morning for New York city, sailing Saturday for a summer abroad. Mr. Guy will meet them abroad later in the spring.

Mrs. Henry Churchill Cook and Miss Mayer have cards out for a tea at the Willard for Friday afternoon, May 2, from 4 to 6.

Mrs. W. H. Sholes will be at home informally Thursday, May 1, from 3 to 6, at the Lambert.

Mrs. Mitchell Carroll of Cleveland Park will receive Friday evening, May 2, from 4 to 7 o'clock.

Coming Events.

Brookland.

Mr. David G. Cheesman, who has recently returned from Berlin, Germany, here he has been visiting his wife and daughter, Miss Helma Cheesman, who is studying music at the Berlin Conservatory, was the recent guest of Brookland friends.

A complete surprise party was given to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Carpenter, 140 Sutton place northwest, last evening, the occasion being the second anniversary of their wedding. The game of five hundred and cards afforded amusement. First prizes were won by Miss Louise Gove and Mr. Edwin Remsburg, and the consolation trophy by Mrs. Fernando Carpenter and Mr. Charles Gove. A handsome vase was presented to the bride and groom of the evening and acknowledged by Mrs. Carpenter in a neat little speech. Delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. Tessie Henry entertained the Junior Brookland Five Hundred Club at its last meeting. The substitute players were Miss Edith Sheridan and Miss Mildred Clark. The first prize was won by Miss Edith Sheridan and the second by Miss Lennon.

The Brookland Phunny Phellows' Social Club, with its array of local talent, attracted a capacity audience to the auditorium of the Masonic Hall both Wednesday and Thursday evenings of last week to enjoy its seventh annual minstrel show and dance. The members in the circle were Messrs. Charles Hanna, William Dahl, Ernest Crocker, William Jordan, Joseph Noel, Frederick Tanhill, Ralph Simons, George William, Charles Horner, Edwin Maren, William Cord, Robert Ralph, Albert Brooks, Raymond McGee, John McClellan, Charles Tanhill, Earl Simons, Hugh Hennessey, Lawrence Hurdle, Benjamin Severance and W. Sanderson. Mr. Jordan is president of the club. Mr. Hanna was the interlocutor. The end men were Messrs. Horner, Hur-

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ROME, April 26.—The after-Easter season is proving very gay. Arrivals at the local hotels almost balance the departures. Of course, the large and fashionable crowd has left, as it is customary now to visit Florence and Venice before moving to Paris and London.

The American embassy was this week the center of unusual social activity with two dinners. The first of these brought together a large number of distinguished Americans, both transient and residents, like Bishop and Mrs. Williams of Marquette, Mich.; Prof. and Mrs. Fine of Princeton, Prof. and Mrs. Carter of the

American Academy at Rome, the Rev. and Mrs. Nelson of the local American Church, Thatcher Ames of New York, Miss McKibbin of Detroit, John Brown Garrison and the personnel of the American Academy. The second dinner was obviously a diplomatic affair and included the Russian ambassador and Countess Della Somaglia, the Dutch minister, M. Van Weede; the Bavarian minister, Baron Rothschild; the Cuban minister and many others.

Prof. and Mrs. Stevens of the American Academy entertained at dinner a number of their Roman friends, together with many American visitors. Among those present were Mrs. Davenport, Prof. Peck of Yale and Mr. and Mrs. Post Wheeler.

Miss Harvey, daughter of Col. George Harvey, who will be joined this week by her mother and Miss Genevieve Clark, daughter of Spencer Clark, gave a concert box party the other day with a large number of American art students in Rome as guests.

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